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TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTIC OF THE SAME

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- ☒ 2. English language Abstracts of the non-English language references are attached hereto. References 3 and 4.

- ☒ 3. A computer-generated English language translation of the following Japanese Patent Publication has been obtained from the website of the Japanese Patent Office ([<http://www.jpo.go.jp>]), and is attached, but has not been reviewed for accuracy. See References 1 and 2.

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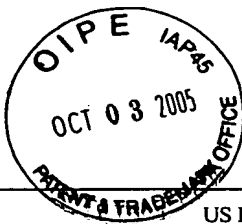
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